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ENTITLED: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SECURE AND CONVENIENT  
MANAGEMENT OF DIGITAL ELECTRONIC CONTENT

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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The applicant hereby respectfully submits the following preliminary amendment to  
the pending application serial no. 09/942,010.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification by adding the following section between the Title section of the application and the Field of the Invention section of the application:

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-- Cross-Reference to Related Application

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This application is based on prior U.S. Patent Application No. 60/284,739, filed April 18, 2001, and priority thereto is hereby claimed. --

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